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Leaps and bounds

The Northern Lights Pavilion was home to the Haliburton Dance Arts crew May 7 and 8 as they dazzled the audience with their variety showcase. See more photos on page 3.

HOUSING

Bad economy slows Watercolours

JENN WATT

Editor

A combination of a sagging economy and site plan paperwork is slowing down the Watercolours Condominium development, the CEO of the development corporation said.

While the real estate market is rebounding in Toronto, in Haliburton the industry is less robust and houses don't turn over as quickly, Chuck Mady said in an interview.

Meaning potential condo owners can't sell their homes to free up money

to buy, which put a damper on sales of his development.

"Things in the GTA here are a lot different than they are up there, things move quickly here, they're just not up there. Until they do, we won't get it going until things are better," he said.

Mady Corporation had previously planned to relaunch the concept of Watercolours Condominium this spring and some in the community have been wondering what the status of the building is.

At a chamber of commerce breakfast last week, Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey was asked by an audience member what

was happening with the development.

"I haven't heard too much about it, I know they feel they're not wanted in this county," he replied.

Despite winning an Ontario Municipal Board hearing in March of 2009 to go forward with the 150-unit lifestyle condos overlooking Head Lake, there are still a number of planning exercises that need to be done before Mady gets the go-ahead to build from Dysart et al.

'We have some issues - not insignificant issues – with the town that have to be done. While we got a favourable

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PARTY IN THE RIGHT SPIRIT Victim of drunk driver opens up to students

JENN WATT

Editor

For almost 30 years, James "Jimmy" Stewart held in his feelings of hurt and anger after a car accident left him disabled and his best friend dead.

He tried to comfort his family and

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Hatchery workers' favourite time of the year is when they stock area lakes with fish they raised from eggs. /Photo submitted

FISHING

Area lakes get new residents

The hatchery at the Haliburton Highlands Outdoor Association and the Ministry of Natural Resources have been busy the last two weeks stocking local lakes.

So far 3,700 Haliburton silver, 8,000 Haliburton gold, 7,000 Killala lake trout plus 21,000 rainbow trout have been stocked in 22 local lakes.

The hatchery is maintained and the trout raised by volunteers dedicated to the fish, sport angling and the health of our lakes. The Hatchery has five adult rearing tanks, two early rearing tanks and three incubator tanks, two outdoor ponds as well as a small hatchery that is just dedicated to walleye incubation.

It takes 18 months of care and feeding to get the fish to the size ready for stocking. It starts with collecting and fertilizing local wild eggs, incubation, fry development and growing fingerlings to stocking size. Volunteers clean tanks every day and feed the fish three times a day for six to 18 months.

Stocking is our favourite time of year. Volunteers wade into the pond and net out the rainbow trout. We work in partnership with the MNR and stock lakes by truck or boat depending on the lake's accessibility. For remote lakes the MNR helicopter lands beside the hatchery and is loaded up with fish. The helicopter hovers above the lake and then the fish are released down a tube into the lake.

Haliburton lake trout are genetically unique to the Highlands and their genetics date back to the last glaciers. The HHOA and the MNR are dedicated to maintaining and improving the Haliburton lake trout in local lakes.

- Submitted by the Haliburton Highlands Outdoor Association



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RSVP (705) 457-5345 by May 14th.

AWARDS

HHSS secretary honoured for work with students

here, there \mathcal{E} everywhere

news and events worth noting

Head secretary at Haliburton High, June Smith, has been honoured with a Support Staff Impact Award by the Trillium Lakelands District School Board. Nine employees of the board will be recognized for their work with and for the students at a special ceremony June 2 at HHSS.

"There are some among us who tirelessly reach beyond the parameters of their job to do this," director of education Larry Hope said in a press release.

Charity music fest looking for volunteers

Smile: The Haliburton Music and Comedy Festival is holding a meeting for all interested in becoming volunteers. Volunteers from organizations who donate their time to the festival will get a share of the proceeds for their charity.

The meeting will take place on Saturday, May 15 at 4 p.m. at McKecks.

It's that time again

West Guilford's Eleanor Cooper wishes to remind everyone that it's nearly rhubarb time and anyone interested in harvesting some of her tart veggies is welcome to do so.

Clarification

Sunday's Ramble on the Rail Trail begins at the Little Tart at 11 a.m. and ends with lunch at Camp Wanakita at 1 p.m. where a discussion on the history of Donald will be held. While the walk is along the Rail Trail, participants won't be walking to Wanakita. The public is also welcome to attend only the talk portion of the ramble. Tickets must be reserved in advance, and due to confusion which arose last week, the deadline for reservations will be extended. Please call 457-4767 by Wednesday evening.



COMPETITION

Haliburton Dance Arts brings home gold

ANGELICA BLENICH

Staff reporter

Haliburton was well represented at the 2010 Bedazzled Dance Champions, held in Niagara Falls, as Haliburton Dance Arts brought home 24 first-place finishes.

The competition is one of the largest in Canada, and this year hosted 16 dance schools comprised of approximately 1,500 to 2,000 students. The Haliburton club was the smallest in attendance.

The competitive club, which is comprised of 50 kids from ages four to 18, also managed to receive four second-place finishes, one third-place finish and the highest overall finish for the senior jazz group, senior lyrical group and solo performances by Shaylynn Hutchings and Ryanne Horsley. The award for the dancer with the most potential overall was given to Shaylynn Hutchings.



Dancers of all ages took to the stage to prepare for the Haliburton Dance Arts showcase, which took place at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion on May 7 and 8. The showcase featured a variety of dance styles including acrobatics, lyrical jazz and tap. /Photos by Angelica Blenich

The dance club, now in its 14th year of operation, was started by Terri Matthews who has been dancing since the age of three and teaching for more than 25 years. Matthews moved to Haliburton from Brampton, where she was the cultural and creative coordinator for the city of Brampton. Her dance style and teaching methods were quickly well received by members of the Haliburton community.

"The first year I started Haliburton Dance Arts I had 24 students," says Matthews. "By the second year I had 200."

Currently the club has 50 students on its competitive dance team and 125 overall. Matthews, along with additional

instructors, teaches everything from jazz and ballet to tap, musical theatre and acrobatics. Along with her dance background Matthews is a trained gymnastics instructor.

"The acrobatics is definitely the most popular," says Matthews. "It's a mix between traditional acrobatics and gymnastics tumbling."

Matthews believes a significant amount of the dancer's recent competition success can be attributed to the dedication and passion the students demonstrate all year long.

"Those kids work so hard, they're like little professionals," says Matthews. "The



dancers are so focused and disciplined."

Teaching dance in a small town, says Matthews, affords her the opportunity to create close relationships with her dancers.

"There's a sense of community in Haliburton," says Matthews. "The students feel like my family. I definitely develop close bonds with them and every year when my senior students leave I cry."

HOUSING

'For low-income families there's just nothing'

IFNN WATT

Editor

Seniors and low-income families are the two most under-serviced demographics in Haliburton County when it comes to housing, the manager of Parklane and Echo Hills apartments says.

Those who are able to pay market rent for downtown apartments are facing lengthy wait times of up to 10 years, while spaces for working-class families are nearly non-existent.

"For low-income families there's just nothing," Barb Fawcett says. "And we're all concerned about seniors, which we should be, but eventually there will be nobody to serve the seniors. There'll be nobody able to live here."

Between Echo Hills and Parklane there are 95 units, 70 per cent of which are rent-geared-to-income and 30 per cent are the

market rent units.

Fawcett's observations of the local situation are mirrored across the province, according to a new report released by the Ontario Non-Profit Housing Association, which identifies "low-income families, singles and seniors" as the losers in the affordable housing market.

"How many people are leaving their communities, their friends and their families because they cannot afford housing? How many local economies will suffer if workers cannot live and work in the same place?" Keith Ward, president of the ONPHA said in a press release.

In Haliburton, both the workers and the seniors often have to leave the community for housing.

In the recently released Aging Well report, Haliburton County seniors expressed concern over the lack of housing options available for their needs. Two of the Aging Well committee's members

had to leave the group during the last year to find housing in a larger town.

Every year in the fall, Fawcett starts to get calls from seniors wanting to move out of their homes before winter hits.

"You get the phone calls that usually start in September of people saying, 'I just can't stay in my home any longer, I can't do another winter' and it's bad enough when they're on your wait list, but when they haven't even come on your wait list and they're telling you that," she trails off.

And while in large cities it is the subsidized apartments that are most coveted, Fawcett says in her buildings the market rent units are the most popular simply because no one else is providing housing.

"Probably right now we have between 150 and 160 waiting and willing to pay market rent and in the neighbourhood of 40 to 50 on the rent-geared-to-income [list]," she said.

There should be enough demand for housing to inspire business to step up and build it, but none has come forward.

"There's a ready-made rental market out there, but it costs so much to put buildings up, private industry in our situation, well, you can tell it's not happening. So, without government being involved these kinds of buildings would never get built," she said.

The province has provided some grant programs for affordable housing – recently awarding money to Fenelon Falls and Lindsay – but since downloading the responsibility to municipalities in the 2001, there has been little movement in this county toward building greater capacity

"In small municipalities like ours there just isn't the money there to fund them," Fawcett said.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Reeve sees the benefits of streetscape plan, promotes downtown development

ANGELICA BLENICH

Staff reporter

Haliburton Reeve Murray Fearrey shed some light on the recently announced streetscape project to all those in attendance at the Chamber of Commerce breakfast held at Blairhampton golf club on May 6.

The streetscape will encompass York Street and a proposed western gateway for Highland Street to improve the area surrounding the cenotaph. The plan is being made possible thanks to a \$1.1 million grant from the federal government.

The project aims to support local economic development through the Community Adjustment Fund (CAF) announced in Canada's economic action

During the breakfast Fearrey outlined details of the streetscape and stressed the benefits it will bring to the village of Haliburton.

"The objective of this plan is to promote a safe and healthy community," said Fearrey. "It will ease pedestrian in the downtown core."

Other benefits, said Fearrey, include reducing emissions and promoting a healthier lifestyle. The streetscape will also help correct parking issues as well as improve the infrastructure of Haliburton.

According to Fearrey the municipality has been trying to move ahead on the streetscape project for the past three years. Now that the required funds have come in, the municipality will be going beyond its original plan.

"We will be working with the utilities to remove the hydro poles on Highland Street and put them underground," explained Fearrey. "This should help improve the aesthetics of the downtown

The ball is already rolling on the project as engineering plans are currently underway. The timeline for completing the streetscape, says Fearrey, has to coincide with both the tourism and hunting

"The project will begin at the end of August and will hopefully be finished

traffic as well as promote development by early November, before the hunting season begins and everyone goes away," joked Fearrey.

> The project, says Fearrey, will not just be beneficial to the village of Haliburton but the entire county as a whole.

> "If this helps Haliburton it helps the whole county," said Fearrey, "I truly believe that, because contrary to what you might hear, I'm not anti-Minden."

Questions surrounding the project included whether or not the job would be done locally.

"There will be consultants and local tenders involved," said Fearrey. "However since the money funding this project is federal you're obliged to follow their direction."

Other questions included whether the project would result in the removal of parking meters or the addition of traffic lights.

According to Fearrey the streetscape will not include any new traffic lights and as for the parking meters, it's not clear what's going to happen with those once the streetscape is developed.

Fearrey was also questioned on wheth-



Reeve Murray Fearrey talks to Laura Redman of the YMCA at the Chamber of Commerce breakfast. Fearrey discussed details of the new Haliburton streetscape project at the breakfast, held at Blairhampton Golf Club. /Photo by Angelica Blenich

er or not he plans to run in the upcoming

"I plan on making an announcement regarding my candidacy on the May long weekend," Fearrey told those in

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PARTY IN THE RIGHT SPIRIT

Students learn how to be safe on prom night

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friends, denying the emotional impact the accident had on March 25, 1975.

But when his mother died about eight years ago, Stewart realized he couldn't hold those feelings in any longer.

"After my mother passed away I fell apart," he says.

"I lied to everyone all of those years because I kept telling people I was OK and I guess I wasn't OK ... I finally got a chance to let it go, because I held it in for almost 30 years," he says.

Stewart's speaking from behind a booth at the high school's Party in the Right Spirit event, which combines party safety education with fun prom activities.

This is the first time Stewart has ever publicly told his story and he's doing it with illustrative flare.

Along his table are photographs of him and his friend Paul in 70s fashion, living it up like 16-year-olds do.

In March, 1975, they headed to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, to party and meet girls. That day they did meet some girls bringing the total car occupancy to eight. On an S-bend, a car driven by a drunk teenager tried to pass them, sending their vehicle into a hydro support pole while the other car rolled into the ditch.

Since that day, Stewart has been living with major disabilities. He spent a year in a wheelchair, had his knee replaced, cortisone injections and now walks with a cane. He has chronic pain, requiring heavy medication and has experienced depression.

Over the years, Stewart has used his experience to discourage drunk driving - he is a bartender at McKecks, which gives him the chance to interact with people in those crucial decision making moments every day - but it was for this year's Grade 12 students he decided to make a more public statement.

"I was 16 and we liked to party. Unfortunately, I was on the other end of it. My best friend is dead," he says.

Party in the Right Spirit was coordinated by the Haliburton Highlands Community Action Group on Alcohol and Drugs and the local health unit and was achieved with broad community support.

Other attractions during the day included Paul Christie's Be Real presentation, the OPP with a breathalyzer test, Season's salon doing sample hair styles and The Bridge youth centre with video games. There were also many educational booths.

James "Jimmy" Stewart speaks with a Grade 12 student from HHSS about the accident that killed his best friend and left him disabled. Stewart was the victim of a drunk driver when he was 16 years old vacationing in South Carolina. Photo by Jenn Watt.

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Why Watercolours matters

EOPLE HAVE BEEN TALKING for a while about what is going on with the Watercolours condo development planned to go in at the old Fleming College site overlooking Head Lake on Highway 118. The fence surrounding the site has been taken down and the sales office on Highland Street has not reopened. The relaunch of the project, which was expected this

spring also hasn't happened.

The CEO of Mady

Development Corporation, which is heading up the project, said things are taking time for a combination of two reasons: the economy is still bad and the site planning process with Dysart et al is taking longer than expected.

They are also looking into how to change the project to better suit the tastes of the

Haliburton customer.

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This all takes time.

People here care about the progress – even the small stops and starts – because for many any new housing is a chance to stay in town.

As the manager of Parklane and Echo Hills apartments, Barb Fawcett, told the paper this week, the under-serviced demographics are middle-class seniors and lowincome families when it comes to housing.

And just as potential buyers were watching Silver Beach Developments on Lake Kashagawigamog with an eagle eye through the planning process, so too are buyers watching Watercolours.

And most are rooting for them.

The very few apartments in town at market rent are prized. Fawcett says those wanting into her market-rent suites can expect a seven- to 10-year wait.

Some of those looking for lakeside living have already begun moving into Silver Beach with more lined up to move in over the summer, but there are those who want to be walking distance to the grocery store and shopping and close to the hospital as they age.

And for the rest of the town, 150 more units of housing is a signal that there is a solid future for those who want to stay in town.

People are talking about the future of Watercolours because they care about the future of the town.



Head Lake Park blossoms

Photo by Kim Emmerson

Going the distance

TITY PEOPLE are wimps. Let me clarify that. City people are wimps when it comes to certain things like building outdoor fires, taking down a moose at full speed and, well, and anything related to distance.

We rural folk think nothing of driving two

hours to buy shoes or discount ham but a city person will moan when the nearest bank is more than a block away.

I realize this has everything to do with convenience (they have it, we lack it) but is it really that much to ask to drive 20 minutes for cigarettes or sour cream or cigarette-flavoured sour cream (it's new and not very succesful)?

Perhaps we're the idiots. What person in his right mind would drive an hour just to satisfy a

Big Mac attack (the cruel irony: wasting gas acquiring something that will ultimately give you gas)? Hell, for most of us, a simple trip to the grocery store becomes a road trip ("Hey kids, grab your sleeping bags, we're going for milk!") so we think nothing of packing a lunch on our journey to buy lunch.

Canada is essentially a very rural – more accurately "barren" - country, so for most of us long trips are the norm.

Very few Canadians can access 14 pharma-

cies in the space of two miles and that's where city people are deeply misguided. They arrive on our doorstep flabbergasted at the thought of having to go more than five minutes in any direction to find what they want. You can see the despair appear in their eyes when they discover The Gap is at least a day away and

that we're out of the delivery range for most products except for fishing tackle and snowplow accessories.

For us, the reverse notion is almost unfathomable. Driving city streets is like being a chocoholic at Willy Wonka's. If you miss the first Tim Hortons there will be nine more before you hit the next traffic light. In fact the next traffic light probably has a Tim Hortons drive thru (no sense in wasting time while the light's

red). We simply can't imagine that kind of convenience, at least based on what we're used to (doughnuts at one end of the county; icing at the other) and we arrive back in town with the kind of far-fetched stories ("ATM machines, as far as the eye can see") Magellan must have had after his little journey.

So, to the city folk out there looking for their early morning rural coffee fix: it's here. It just might involve taking a portage to find it.



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There is no free lunch

WALKED INTO THE HOUSE much like any normal superhero might – with modesty and very little of my cape or leotards showing. I'm not going to say it was a big day – a turning point in my career or anything – but let's be honest, it's not every day a man finishes in second place in a chicken wing eating contest.

"Notice anything different?" I asked my wife as I stood, elbows extended with one fist on each hip.

"You've got what appears to be honey garlic sauce on your forehead," she answered demurely. She was clearly trying to hide her fierce admiration and pride.

"Did you hear it on the radio?" I said.

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"No, I can see it right now. It's a big blob."

"I was referring to my victory," I clarified.

"Yes," she said. "I heard. You came in second place in a three-man chicken wing eating contest."

You wouldn't have known it. There was no ticker tape or rose petals thrown haphazardly at my feet, as I'm certain was happening at Rick Lowes's residence. Rick, the Moose FM morning man, beat me by consuming 15 more grams of chicken wings – just a little more than half an

ounce

Does that make him more of a man? Well, let's move on to the next question – the one that's on everyone's mind. That's right. Was Lowes taking performance-enhancing drugs?

I know it's an ugly accusation, but I think it's a fair question. I mean, this is the second time he's won that M&M's chicken-wing eating contest. Coincidence? Yeah, right.

And it's not like I didn't prepare. I was in superb physical condition for the event. Two days prior I almost managed a single sit up. And, on that morning – before stepping into the ring – I only had two, rather than my usual three servings of breakfast.

Don't get me wrong. Lowes is a fine competitor – chickens fear him. But I was doing everything humanly possible and I still fell 15 grams short of victory. Heck, at one point in the contest I thought I swallowed a couple of bones – and this was confirmed this morning, by the way. I can only guess at the agony he felt.

The thing is, if wing eating ever becomes an Olympic sport, Lowes will probably have to ease up on the steroids to make the team. All you have to do is look over at his abnormally developed esophagus to see that something's up. It's true; he's got the digestive tract of a racehorse.

Then again, it could be just good genetics. Maybe he comes from a long line of incredibly good wing eaters. Maybe, for as long as his line has been in existence, they've been bred to ensure chickens will not fly. Who knows?

All I know is that Rick Lowes is a God among chicken wing contestants and I bow to him. In fact, Rick, if you are reading this, I would humbly ask you to become my Sensei and teach me the art of wingfood.

I promise that I'd only use this power for good. I would not walk into bars and start challenging rank amateurs just to satisfy my own perverse sense of pleasure. Unless you said that was OK – and then it would be game on.

Whether Rick takes me on as an apprentice or not is yet to be determined. But if he does, I imagine it to be something very similar to the Karate Kid type of scenario. "Wings on! Wings off" – that kind of thing. If nothing else it will raise the level of competition for next year and make this even more of a spectator sport.

Either way, I doff my honey and garlic covered hat to him. Hey, if I ever need a wing man, I'm giving Rick Lowes a call.



pic of the past

This week's pic of the past is an oldie but a goodie. These five friends are having a great time fishing at this old bridge. Can you put some names to the faces? And where was this photo taken? Give us a call at the *Echo* office, 457-1037 and let us know.

letters to the editor

Oops, a typo

To the Editor,

The Globe and Mail has spilled the beans (The Globe and Mail, May 6, 2010, Your Business, page E6)!

Local actor Mike Jaycock, having so ably played the illustrious U.S. president Franklin D. Roosevelt in last summer's production of *Annie*, seems to be progressing to take on the role of Dick Cheney in a new play (comedy, tragedy?) featuring the man who has been at the helm of both Halliburton as CEO from 1995 to 2000 and the U.S. as vice-president from 2000 to 2008.

Or am I mis-reading the misprint? Fortunately, I believe that all publicity, be it due to spelling errors or whatever, is good publicity.

Peter Brogden Haliburton

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Muriel Peters stands with her lucky car, a Pontiac Firebird she won at the Rotary carnival back in 1987. To this day the Firebird is the only car Peters drives. /Photo by Angelica Blenich

FIREBIRD

Rotary winner still lucky 23 years later

ANGELICA BLENICH

Staff reporter

Nineteen eighty-seven was a lucky year for Muriel Peters.

The Haliburton native was at the annual Rotary summer carnival that year when she decided to purchase a ticket for the car draw.

"I bought one ticket from Paul Wilson and paid \$10 for it," explains Peters. "Back then the carnival took place where the arena is."

A few days later, Peters got a phone call telling her she had won a brand new white Pontiac Firebird.

"I didn't believe them when they told me," she laughs. "You just buy a ticket because it goes to the Rotary Club and helps them. You don't think about winning the car."

The following day, Peters headed over to Curry Motors, located at that time at the corner of Highland and Maple streets (currently the home of Rexall), and drove the Firebird right off the lot.

"I really wanted that car," says Peters. "I felt young

and hip when I won it. I'm still driving it to this day."

Twenty-three years later, Peters says she has had no problems with her car and plans on keeping it forever.

Peters proved that good things definitely do come in threes, as her lucky streak didn't end with just a car. In that same year, Peters won a camper and an overnight stay at the Pinestone, both awarded in separate contests.

"I kept the camper for a number of years and would take it up to the wildlife reserve and park it there for the weekend," says Peters. "I eventually sold it when it became too much."

According to Peters, her streak of luck both started and ended in 1987.

"People will often say to me, 'hey Muriel, why don't you buy my ticket,'" she laughs. "I haven't won anything since, but that's OK."

Tickets for this year's Rotary car draw are available at \$20 each or seven for \$100. The early bird draw will take place on June 6. The car draw will take place on Aug. 4 at this year's Rotary summer carnival.



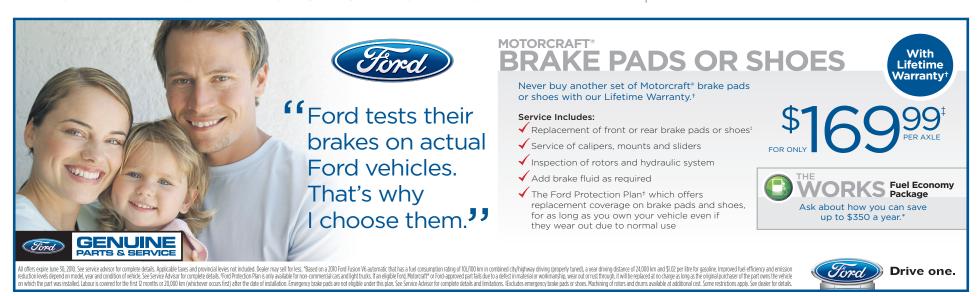
David Bishop, right, manager of Haliburton Forest, gives a tour of the forest's sawmill during an open house on May 8. Despite cold weather and even snow, staff said there was a good turnout for the event, which allowed the public to check out a number of the forest's facilities.

HALIBURTON FOREST HOLDS OPEN HOUSE



These are huskies at the Haliburton Forest's kennel. The dogs are used for sled tours of the forest during winter months.

Photos by Chad Ingram





Ryan Petch, left, of Canoe FM, Rick Lowes of Moose FM and Steve Galea of the Haliburton *Echo* gobble down honey garlic chicken wings at M&M Meat Shops Crohn's and colitis fundraiser Saturday at noon. Lowes narrowly won the contest for the second year running.

M&M FUNDRAISER

Rick Lowes out eats the Echo and Canoe FM

JENN WATT

Editor

Rick Lowes, radio personality on Moose FM, has once again claimed the title of best chicken-wing eater in Haliburton County.

For the second year running, Lowes beat out competitors from Canoe FM and the *Haliburton Echo* in the contest held May 8, put on by M&M Meat Shops

as part of a Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of Canada fundraiser.

And while Lowes may have won this year, the next closest competitor – Echo columnist Steve Galea – was only 15 grams away from the title. Coming in third was Ryan Petch of Canoe FM.

Supporters of the cause came into the M&M parking lot to watch the contest, but also to buy a barbecued lunch for charity.

The event raised \$1,424 in Haliburton.

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Ron and Margaret Mark, seated, presented the Haliburton **Highlands Health Services** Foundation (HHHSF) with a \$1,000 cheque on behalf of the Order of the Eastern Star, Highland Chapter 230. Over the past several years the Eastern Star has donated a total of \$19.490 to the foundation. The donation was made to the foundation by (left to right): Mel Smith, Dale Walker, executive director of the foundation, Don Popple, Bernice Schroter, Neva Hobden, Paul Johnson and Lorna Hick, front row centre. /Photo by Angelica Blenich



HIGHLAND GAMES

McKecks joins Foodland as sponsor of Highland Games

The 2010 committee of the Haliburton Highland Games is very pleased to announce that McKecks The Blue Line has agreed to become a major sponsor of the games.

Maarten Steinkamp of McKecks joins Bob Park of Haliburton Foodland, the other major sponsor, in recognizing the value of the games as a great tourist attraction for the Haliburton community.

The Haliburton Highland Games' 22nd year will be held Saturday, July 10 in the village of Haliburton.

The games will be welcoming pipe bands from all over Ontario as they march down Main Street to our Call to the Games parade at 11 a.m. The festivities in Head Lake Park include Highland dancing, where young dancers compete for valuable points toward the Ontario championship; border collie sheep-herding demonstrations; heavy event athletes competing (including the caber toss); vendors' alley; a cheer tent; Scottish country dancing; massed bands performances and new this year, OPP canine unit demonstrations.

As always, YMCA Camp Wanakita will be running a spirited children's program.

Admission is only \$10 with children under 12 free. Call 457-4031 for more information or check out www. haliburtonhighlandgames.com.



Maarten Steinkamp, left, Bob Park and Jim Frost show off their Scottish pride in traditional kilts in preparation for the Haliburton Highland games, set to take place this July. Steinkamp and Park will be the official sponsors for this year's games. /Photo by Angelica Blenich

NO MORE REBATES

Local geothermal providers don't sweat rebate loss

ANGELICA BLENICH

Staff reporter

While they certainly appreciated the large ecoEnergy rebate provided by the government to their customers, local geothermal energy providers maintain that the reduction in the subsidy won't hurt their sales.

The federal government recently announced it will no longer be offering a rebate to those planning to participate in ecoEnergy retrofits, including geothermal energy.

Up until March 31, the federal government had committed to providing a rebate intended towards those implementing geothermal energy through the ecoEnergy retrofit-homes program, which would be matched by the provincial government dollar to dollar.

"On that day [March 31] we received information that the federal government had pulled their ecoEnergy bill," says Benton Brown, geothermal technician with Haliburton Geothermal.

"Basically the total amount of grant money you could receive for a retrofit home was around \$8,800. So what happened was in their bill the federal government said they would provide a grant of \$4,400 and the provincial government said they would match it dollar for dollar.

"What we found out that day was the federal government pulled out of their end. Everyone was all up in arms wondering what that means for the provincial funding as well. Turns out the provincial government is still offering a rebate of \$4,400, so there's still a government incentive there," says Benton.

Through the Ministry of Natural Resources website, the government announced it will no longer be accepting bookings for pre-retrofit evaluations, but the program will continue to be administered until March 31, 2011. Those who have already booked an appointment for a pre-retrofit evaluation, have completed an evaluation or have applied for re-entry to the program will remain eligible to apply for a grant.

Scott Neilson, co-owner of Walker's Heating and Cooling Systems, believes that despite the rebate termination, the savings from geothermal energy speak for themselves.

"The funding announcement would affect us in a way because of such a heavy government rebate," says Neilson. "However geothermal pays for itself."

"It's not a payback issue, it's an investment and you're investing in something that's saving you money the first day that you're running it," he says.

"Having this government rebate, yes it might affect it a bit, but the people that are putting geothermal in and the people that understand geothermal energy are still going to be putting it in."

Greg Brown, president of Haliburton Geothermal, has been in the business for about eight years.

He agrees that the system sells itself.

"I just really think it's the way of the future as far as



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Benton Brown

a reliable heating source without a huge expense," says Greg, "and it's very green. The fact that you're taking heat out of the earth that's already there to heat your home which needs to be heated, and at the same time you're not using fossil fuels or anything that needs carbon emissions to be produced."

According to Greg, a rebate of \$4,400 covers approximately 17 per cent of the cost of retrofitting a home to geothermal energy.

"The important thing to note is in order to qualify for these grants you have to use a Canadian-certified geothermal technician," says Benton.

Neilson admits to being disappointed with the federal government's decision affecting the rebate.

"It's not a selling feature but it was a bonus towards the system to get people a little more interested," says Neilson.

However with everyone including the government moving towards green initiatives, Neilson says he wouldn't be surprised to see the rebate for ecoEnergy retrofits return.

"With the way things are going, in terms of being green, I could definitely see it coming back."

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WATERCOLOURS

Developer still tweaking condominium concept

from page 1

OMB ruling ... there are still a number of issues that they've deferred to the town to handle and that hasn't gone as quickly as might have been expected. We're just working through those issues," he said.

According to town planner Pat Martin, those issues relate to information about the site plan that must be provided by Mady Corp. including roadways, storm-

water management and buffer zones among other things.

"The site plan process is not a quick process to start with and it's where we get down to the nitty-gritty and to the detail and that's where we are right now," Martin said.

The town requested information on a host of topics in February and is just waiting for Watercolours to return with the material, she said.



A few things are up in the air and we're trying to find a combination that works, we're trying to find a combination that people from your community will find acceptable. Chuck Mady

While they wait for the economy to recover and complete necessary paperwork, the corporation is also looking at the overall concept of Watercolours attempting to refine it for the Haliburton market, Mady said.

"First I have to get all the land use issues, the planning issues, solved and that's taken us way longer than we thought and we'll get that done. And ... as we're doing that we're trying to see how can we tweak this project to get it to work," he said.

"A few things are up in the air and we're trying to find a combination that works, we're trying to find a combination that people from your community will find acceptable and I don't think we've found that yet," he said.

Not enough units have been sold to start construction and the sales office on Highland Street was closed in the fall. If the plan for Watercolours changes substantially,

those who have already made deposits on their units will be paid back, Mady said.

The corporation will also have to go back to the municipality for further planning meetings if they decide to change the function of the building.

One idea being batted around is for some of the units to be geared to retirement living, but nothing has been formally proposed.

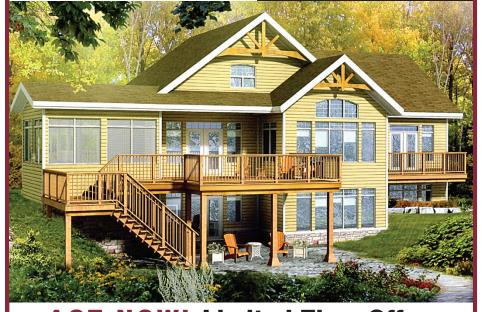
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RAILS END GALLERY

Paternity Suite captures tender connections

GEORGE FARRELL

Special to the Echo

Ya gotta love that Laurie Brown, curator at the Rails End Gallery in Haliburton. She's always thinking of new ways to engage the public in what's happening at the gallery.

As the name of the new show will attest, she also has a sense of humour.

"For this show I decided to take a concept that I developed after seeing a work by Laurie O'Reilly called 'Home on Leave.'

"The painting captured something of the bittersweet loss I feel knowing my dad and I are both grownups now," Brown says.

The premise of Paternity Suite "is to show a suite of images around paternity, a sort of riffing on a theme," she explains.

One artist who fit Brown's concept is Laurie O'Reilly. The other, perhaps surprisingly, is movie maker Julian Van Mil

In the case of O'Reilly it's not hard to connect Brown's thematic dots, because O'Reilly's work focuses, for the most part, on paternity.

Her large canvases are crudely powerful, and mainly show images of a father's love toward his children.

"Her images address the life forces that we all spring from, and how they [fathers] interact with their progeny, and the quality of the relationship," states Brown.

O'Reilly's brush strokes are large and heavy, and the imagery is both tender and somewhat disturbing.

There is a latent quality to the works that suggests, in some parallel universe, her paintings would not show paternal love, but some other, perhaps more dangerous emotion.

Those parallel universe feelings "have a lot to do with the faces," according to O'Reilly.

"My paintings take a long time to come up with the story, which is on many layers. It's the reality versus the romanticism of images. One of the reasons for my works being loosely painted is to allow the viewer to finish them," she says.

Julian Van Mil's contribution to the show is his six-minute movie titled *Dance of Death.*

The tenuous link to the relationship theme of Paternity Suite is that the work is a part of a collaboration with his father, who is local artist Al Van Mil, and brother Eric, who's responsible for the movie's beautiful music.

Dance of Death is visually stunning.

The story line has to do with Death visiting a young woman with babe in arms. Death dances with the coltish woman in front of a full moon, atop a watery dance floor, and amid swirls of dissipating imagery.

As might be expected of such a short piece, the story line and characters are not fully developed, and once the mewling baby has been placed in its sleeping basket, (in order for mom to dance with Death at the stroke of midnight), it's not shown again save for a fleeting shadow crossing its sleeping countenance.

So much for maternity.

The movie is accompanied by a man's narration, quoting poetry by W. H. Auden.

Lines like "Change your partner, dance when you can," and "not to be born is the best for man," help to add to the macabre elements of the movie.

The overall visual effect is a little like a three way marriage between Edgar Allen Poe (yes, a raven makes an appearance), Michael Jackson (Death's head mask is evocative of *Thriller*), and the National Ballet, (the portrayal of Death's dance partner is by an accomplished dancer with balletic experience).

"To me the film encapsulates the worst fears of each father regarding the familial relationship," says Brown.

That might be a stretch, and the inclusion of the movie in Paternity Suite feels a bit like it was shoe horned, to make it fit

Nevertheless, the offerings of O'Reilly, and the Van Mil collaboration, work as standalone exhibits, and is another fine example of the creative offerings from curator Brown and the Rails End Gallery.

Paternity Suite spans both Mother's Day and Father's Day, and is at the Rails End Gallery from May 8 until June 20.

For further information contact the Rails End Gallery and Arts Centre, 23 York Street, Haliburton.

Tel:705-457-2330, Email: info@railsendgallery.com www.railsendgallery.com.



Artist Laurie O'Reilly stands by one of her canvases on display at the Rails End Gallery until June 20. Photo by George Farrell.



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DYSART BRIEFS

Steinkamp buys property on Industrial Park Road

ANGELICA BLENICH

Staff reporter

The following are brief reports of items discussed at the May 3 meeting of Dysart et al council.

The municipality of Dysart et al approved the sale of land located on Industrial Park Road to restaurateur Maarten Steinkamp. The property was purchased for the price of \$60,000.

According to the bylaw authorizing and confirming the sale of land, the municipality has the power to dispose of land no longer required for municipal purposes.

The bylaw states that no comments were received with respect to the sale of the land and that the council has declared the land surplus.

According to the municipality the lot that was purchased is currently vacant.

Cottagers instructed to remove illegal dock

A request submitted to continue the use of a municipal road allowance for the purpose of a private dock was turned down by council.

Dorothy Mitchell and Jeff Brooks sent a letter to the municipality regarding the use of a shoreline allowance on Benoir Lake. In the letter Mitchell and Brooks explain that the property they purchased, 1015 Michael Rd., had a dock installed by the previous owners, which has been in use for more than 30 years.

In the letter they write, "We would like to apply for permission to continue to use this shoreline road allowance. Our intention is to continue to maintain the dock and use it for our own personal use. We understand that the previous owners used this area for the past 30 years and that no other cottagers in the area have ever used this shoreline allowance. We do understand that it is public property."

The letter also stated that the current owners "understand that the permission granted to the previous

owners [for the dock] is not transferable to us as the new owners."

Council informed Mitchell, who was in attendance at the meeting, that no dock allowance was ever permitted to the previous owner and that the dock in question is illegal. The shoreline access the dock currently sits on is the only public access point to Benoir Lake, furthering council's argument to remove the dock.

Mitchell inquired as to whether or not a dock could be installed on another piece of shoreline property that she had deeded access to. Council informed her this was not a possibility, as she possessed deeded access only, which only gave her the right of entry to the water.

Council requested she remove both the dock and the deck attached to it.

Ball hockey league set to begin

A spring/summer ball hockey league is all set to take place at the Dysart arena organized by Peter Thyrring of All Canadian Hockey School (ACHS) sports and educational programs.

Thyrring submitted a schedule to council regarding the program and the requested

HIGHLAND FESTIVAL SINGERS

The Highlands Festival Singers are seen practising at the Haliburton United Church in preparation for their upcoming show "A Night at the Movies."

The show promises to be a dazzling evening filled with glitz and glamour and a stroll down the red carpet as the singers take you back in time with tunes such as *Moon River*, *Over the Rainbow* and *My Heart Will Go On*.

Performances will take place at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion on May 15 at 7:30 p.m. and May 16 at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$17.50 and can purchased at Cranberry Cottage in Haliburton and at the Pharmasave in Minden. /Photo by Angelica Blenich

hours for the Dysart arena. The league is scheduled to begin on May 1 and run until July 24 and take place on Saturdays. The program will comprise a total of 60 hours.

Thyrring requested the use of the auditorium for additional recreational purposes. Since, according to council, the start up of a ball hockey league is an excellent recreational opportunity for the area, council

wanted to assist with this initiative.

CAO/clerk Tammy McKelvey suggested a flat fee of \$100 per day for the auditorium rental when it involves a minimum of four hours of ice rental, as is customarily done in the winter.

Council agreed to follow this protocol for the ball hockey league and passed a resolution for the rental fee.



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JDHES Grade 4 students watch anxiously as Hydro One employees scaled a tree behind the school during Arbor week. /Photos by Jenn Watt

ARBOR WEEK

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Grade 4 students from J.D. Hodgson Elementary School planted a flowering crab tree Thursday in front of their school in celebration of Arbor Week.

Hydro One employees came to the school with a presentation on their job – to keep hydro lines clear of trees – and on the importance of trees to the environment, animals and humans.

Students got to watch forestry maintainers Alex Little and Bryan Rivard demonstrate their tree climbing, cutting and trimming skills.

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Students watch as Hydro One employees plant a flowering crab tree in front of the school.



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Youth awards night 'best ever'

WARREN RILEY

Special to the Echo

The atmosphere was one of excitement, anticipation and broad smiles. After weeks and months of difficult scrutinizing, the winners were announced and their presence requested at the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 129 Haliburton, to receive their due recognition and awards. The May 7 event saw more than 100 in attendance and according to Brian Hambly, youth education chairman, "This is [one of] the largest gatherings I have ever seen for these award ceremonies." He added, "In one category alone [Poster] we received more than 122 submissions and if anyone wants to help us next year decide the winners, you all have an immediate job." Legion president Carla Watson and Legion first vice-president Jack Greavette assisted chairman Hambly during the presentations.

The evening started off with a brief explanation of the Legion's inception due to the First World War and its impact on the Canadian soldiers and their families back in Canada. Then came the presentations with smiles, laughter and cameras flashing. Cheques were presented to each winner amounting from \$10 for third-place winners to \$35 for the first-place winners. Completing the successful presentations were refreshments for all.

It was heart warming to observe the talent and enthusiasm of today's youth especially being locally recognized by the Royal Canadian Legion, the winner's peers and adults alike. Due credit must also be given to branch 129, Haliburton, for adopting a principle of stimulating our youth to advance their special talents. Through these awards in recognizing the importance of honing our youth's skills, they will undoubtedly be better prepared for the world of tomorrow.



Essay contest: Brian Hambly, left, Brailey Clancy, Spencer Truman, Kristen McKee, Christopher McKee



Poem contest: Brian Hambly, left, Laura Voicey, Kristen McKee. Daryl Woodley, Tom Paul, Cody Williams



Poster contest (black and white): Daryl Woodley, left, Noelle Russell. Cassandra Varty, Jessie M Barry, James Alexander, Maya L Meraw, Jacob O'Neill.



Public speaking awards: Christine Bishop, left, Colt Taylor, Sam Tyler.

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"Public health is all about promoting and protecting the health of the public, and nurses play an essential role in this," says Dr. Lynn Noseworthy, medical officer of health with the HKPR District Health Unit. "Every day, our nurses show care, compassion and commitment to the public's health – your health – in so many ways."

During National Nursing Week, which runs May 10 to 16, the health unit is recognizing the role its nurses play in protecting public health. The theme of Nursing Week is Nursing: You Can't

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Live Without It, and for Dr. Noseworthy, it is well chosen.

"When you look at what our nursing staff do in the public health field, it touches all facets of daily life," she adds.

Last fall's response to the H1N1 influenza virus is a case in point. Health unit nurses spent long hours promoting good hand hygiene, tracking H1N1 outbreaks in the community, and providing H1N1 vaccine at dozens of clinics throughout the area so that people were protected against the new strain of influenza, Dr. Noseworthy notes.

On a day-to-day basis, health unit nurses will also:

- Investigate cases and contacts of reportable communicable disease, and work with other agencies to control outbreaks.
- Promote immunization and good infection control practices.
- Provide immunization programs in schools and ensure children in daycares and schools have up-to-date vaccinations.
- Promote the benefits of healthy



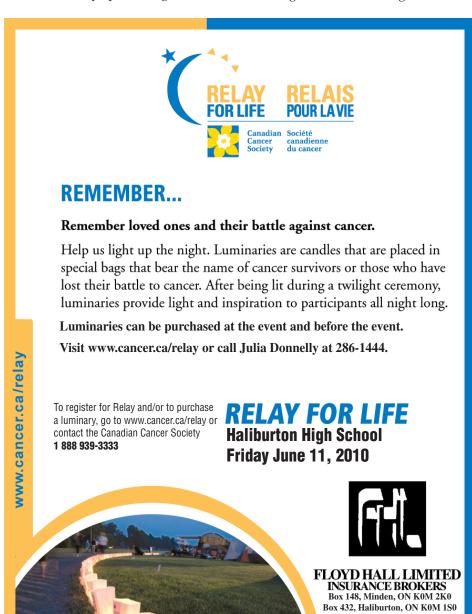
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living, including the need for good nutrition, being physically active, staying tobacco-free and getting regular screening for breast and cervical cancers.

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- Conduct follow-up visits with new mothers to help them adjust to life with a newborn
- Support the healthy development of young children by providing support and advice to families.
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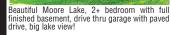
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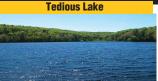
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"Fifty Years of Stewardship and Beyond, A Brief History of Harcourt Park"

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On April 20, 2010, a group from the Haliburton County community gathered at Haliburton Highlands Health Services to recognize Volunteers Week and to celebrate the publication, Fifty Years of Stewardship and Beyond, A Brief History of Harcourt Park Inc.

In attendance were (pictured left to right) Alan Wargo-Author, Dale Walker-HHHSF, Executive Director, Klara Oyler-Ontario Trillium Foundation, Grant Review Team, Don Popple-HHHSF, Campaign Co-Chair, Patti Tallman-HCDC, Community Economic Development Manager, Ray Selbie-Law Office, Thomas Ballintine-Haliburton Highlands Museum, Director, Rob McConnell-Director, Harcourt Park Inc., Chairman 50th Anniversary Committee.

The celebration of the publication of the Park's history at the Haliburton Highlands Health Services was marked by the presentation of an honorarium from Harcourt Park in the name of Rob McConnell. Rob was instrumental in securing substantial grants from the Ontario Trillium Foundation and the Haliburton County Development Corporation that made the publication of the history financially viable. He also was responsible for selection and captioning of all photographs, illustrations, maps, tables and other features of the history, as well as for managing the whole process of production of what is quite a beautiful book. The book was designed by Linda Middleton (Crystal Image Studio) of Harcourt and edited by Marjorie Ludlow-Green of Minden.

Harcourt Park, built on the efforts of its volunteer members, has a long history of extending its volunteer efforts into the larger Haliburton Community. Two of its members, Lloyd Leadbeater and Steve Pogue, have served on the Dysart et al Council as representatives from Ward 3. Steve Pogue continues in this role. The Park also has been a consistent donor to what usually is called the Haliburton Hospital, since 1979, when it was an "outpost" hospital operated by the Red Cross. Earliest donations were spearheaded by Don Fevreau, Park member and a realtor in the Harcourt/Wilberforce area for many years. Don also was responsible for personal donations over the years. When asked about this tradition of giving, Rob McConnell stresses that "cottagers, most of whom reside in the GTA, recognize the importance of supporting the Haliburton Highlands Health Services because someday they may need to avail themselves of its services." Rob also urges the Haliburton Highlands cottage associations to consider supporting the hospitals when planning fund raising activities for their associations.

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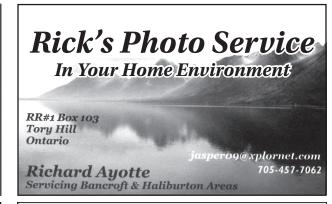
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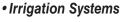


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The senior girls' soccer team played well but were

The junior girls' soccer team played their best game of the season, ultimately finishing with a 1-1 tie. Hali-

Congratulations to the Red Hawk track team which won the REB relay meet in Bracebridge. The team dom-

inated the sprint relay races, setting a meet record in

the under 162 x 200 race. The distance runners also had

The Red Hawk rugby team lost to the team from

The senior girls' soccer team travelled to St. Thomas where they battled the wind, rain, and freezing

temperatures. The girls were down two goals with nine minutes remaining when the game was called due

The junior girls' soccer team battled a fierce wind, but

were able to defeat the team from St. Thomas by a 2-1

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Staff reporter

Jake Walker, the Minden resident and curling phenom who skipped Team Canada to a bronze medal at this year's World Junior Curling Championships, shared his story with members of the Haliburton Curling Club at a club fundraiser on May 8.

Walker, 20, is a veteran of both the Haliburton and Minden curling clubs and told fundraiser attendees that the experience and guidance he'd gained locally had sent him sliding on his way to the highest levels of the sport.

"It got me to where I am today," he said.

However, at the beginning of the season, Walker said his expectations for his team were not very high.

"I didn't even expect to make it to provincials," he said, explaining that he and his teammates weren't playing the positions that best suited their strengths. "The positions weren't true."

However, after a line-up change that moved Walker



The HCDC has the following opportunities available:

Manager of the Haliburton Creative Business Incubator

Responsibilities include the day to day operations of the Haliburton Creative Business Incubator, financial administration, giving direction and guidance to incubator businesses, liaising with the community, and developing ongoing strategies. This position is approximately 10 hours per week. If you would like to see a full job description and wages for the Manager position, please contact us. The deadline for applications is May 14th, 2010.

Roster of Consultants

On occasion the HCDC requires the use of consultants to assist with HCDC initiatives and clients. We are compiling a roster of qualified individuals whom we may call upon. Areas of consulting expertise may include business planning, marketing, IT, product development, strategic planning, accounting, engineering, etc.

If you are interested in being included on our roster submit a resume and letter of interest, detailing your area(s) of expertise.

> Haliburton County Development Corporation Box 210, 49 Maple Ave, Unit 4 Haliburton, ON K0M 1S0 info@haliburtoncdc.ca, (705) 457-3555

from vice to the role of skip, the team went on to an astounding string of victories, with just a couple of losses the remainder of the season.

The team, based out of Kitchener, first swept their way to victory at the provincial championships in Teeswater and then took gold at the national junior championships in Sorel-Tracy, Que.

"Becoming Team Canada is a pretty big thing," Walker said, admitting that he had to try his best to hold back tears as he stood on the podium accepting his gold medal

The distinction earned his team a trip to watch curling at the Vancouver Olympics, which Walker described as a "lifetime experience."

There, Walker and his teammates were invited back to the Edmonton home of Canadian men's skip Kevin Martin, considered one of the best curlers on the planet.

"He's got a really nice house . . . I'll give you that," Walker said. "It was really cool to sit down with Kevin Martin and have a beer."

At the world champions in Flims, Switzerland, the team experienced a loss to the Chinese team.

"Those guys are nuts," Walker recalled, explaining that the Chinese were incredibly good at run-backs, shots where curlers use their stone to hit a series of other stones

The Chinese team made a quad take-out for the victory.

Team Canada would meet the Chinese again in the bronze medal match though, and were victorious the second time around.

Program Assistant for the Haliburton Sculpture Forest and Arts Council~Haliburton Highlands

14 weeks - \$12.50/hour May 25th to Sept 3rd

This position includes providing tours of the Sculpture Forest, supporting artist demonstrations at various events throughout the County, providing support for arts events and assisting with research related to the arts.

Skills and attributes required: an interest in the arts, good computer skills, good communications skills and initiative, post-secondary studies related to arts, culture, education, marketing, or business would be helpful.

Access to own transportation required. Travel cost will be covered.

This position is supported by Young Canada Works in Heritage Organizations. Applicants must be between 16 and 30 years of age, have been registered as a full-time student within the previous academic year, and intend to return to school on a full-time basis in the coming year.

Please forward your cover letter and resume by May 14th to Kim McBrien, Coordinator, Arts Council~Haliburton Highlands, to: P.O. Box 931 Haliburton ON K0M 1S0; or by email to: kim@haliburtonarts.on.ca or drop off at 153 Mallard Rd. Haliburton (off Industrial Park Rd). We thank all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. For further details call 705-457-8033.



Minden resident Jake Walker, who skipped Team Canada to a third-place finish at the World Junior Curling Championships this year, shared his story with members of the Haliburton Curling Club during a club fundraiser on May 8.

They finished behind Switzerland and Scotland, both of whom Walker said his team should have beat.

Still, he said, "I'm not complaining."

Walker is an electrical engineering student at the University of Waterloo, where he had to drop out last year to curl.

He said this year, academics will be his top priority.

"I'm going to buckle down for school," Walker said, adding he wasn't sure in what capacity he might curl.

One of Walker's Team Canada jerseys was auctioned off during the fundraiser. It went to Curry Motors owner and Haliburton Curling Club member Don Popple, who said he planned to frame the jersey and hang it in the clubhouse.

Career & Business Opportunities

Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre 2 DIRECTOR POSITIONS AVAILABLE

MISSION STATEMENT

As a not-for-profit corporation, Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre exists to serve the public interest. Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre is dedicated to providing opportunities for the exploration, appreciation, expression and exchange of the creative arts.

At Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre art inspires and enriches us. We believe art is an essential part of a healthy and prosperous, creative community. We believe everyone should have ongoing opportunities to experience and enjoy the creative arts.

Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre is a public art gallery located in the historic train station in Haliburton Village. This not for profit charitable organization has a 10 member Board of Directors and 1.5 staff.

We are seeking residents of Haliburton County to apply to our Board of Directors for two available positions who ideally have:

- Small Business/Administrative/Computer Skills
- An interest in leadership opportunities
- Have the desire and ability to attend required monthly Board & Committee meetings
- Can commit to min 2 yr term

If you would like to help us bring "Art to Life in Haliburton", please forward your resume before May 22, 2010 to:

Board of Directors Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre POB 912 23 York Street Haliburton, ON K0M 1S0 info@railsendgallery.com 705.457.2330

OUTDOOR SPORTS

HHSS class gets some shooting practice

JERRY GROZELLE

Special to the Echo

To say they had a blast would be an understatement. Derek Little's outdoor education program class from Haliburton Highlands Secondary School experienced something that very few high school students ever get a chance to do. The 18 students spent most of Thursday, May 6 at the Haliburton County Marksmen Club (HCMC) shooting a variety of firearms. The following day, they received some expert coaching in archery skills in the high school gym.

The trip to the HCMC range, just north of Kinmount, has been an annual event for Little's class for the past five years. The students are taught firearms safety and given some strict rules they must follow before taking their turns on the firing line under the guidance of designated range officers from the club. Each student tested his or her skill with rifles, shotguns and handguns. Everyone

was required to wear hearing and eye protection.

"Like all other years, it was a really successful day," Derek Little said. "I think the kids really enjoyed it and from an education perspective it was a really important day for the kids to have gone through the course and done all the incourse stuff, the handling stuff; to learn the material and then get a chance to get out and practice what was preached. The feedback I got was good. They were quite ecstatic about everything."

"Nine of the 18 students had never fired a gun," he added. "So they were really enthused."

Little noted that most of what the students and the general public hear about handguns is not positive.

"A lot of what they know about a handgun isn't necessarily what we want them to think about them," Little said with a chuckle.

He said the shotgun shooting was a bit intimidating for some, with the recoil causing a few bruised shoulders. Little said a few students compared shooting a .22 rimfire to shooting a pellet gun.

He pointed out to them that the range is much farther than a pellet gun. "It's deadly up to three kilometres," he told them. "It's not a toy. You don't just shoot it unless you know what you're shooting at."

Walter Griffin is the manager of the HCMC range and an organizer of the annual youth day at the club. "We had a good group of kids and a wonderful turnout of members and friends to supervise and instruct the students," he said."

Little said the students were thrilled to participate and the healthy respect for firearms they garnered was really important. "The other thing that's important is the fact that they got to shoot the guns and experience hands-on training for something they'd studied and now they're allowed to make that educated decision [whether or not they want to hunt]," he said. "One student has al-

ready asked [her parents] for a pink 20 gauge shotgun for her birthday and she wants to be able to hunt this fall.

"At least they can make that decision now. Nobody is making it for them," he said. "Maybe some of them will want to join the marksmen club and just shoot, and that's OK too."

Little said he'd rather see students going to a range and safely shooting than spending all their time playing video games. "There are so many life skills tied to just target shooting," he said, "responsibility, respec t... all of those things." He said today's kids would be far healthier mentally and physically if, for example, they went to a range such as the HCMC or to the archery range at the HHOA hatchery after school and shot for an hour instead of hanging out downtown. "I think there's a lot of life skills that most people would like to see anyone be instilled with and we can do it with proper instructors and these ranges

See **Students** page 31

Notices

NOTICE (Applicant - ETHERINGTON)

IN THE MATTER OF THE *MUNICIPAL ACT* AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HIGHLANDS EAST TO CLOSE, STOP-UP AND CONVEY CERTAIN PORTIONS OF AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FORROADALONGTHESHOREOFSTORMYLAKE.MOREPARTICULARLYHEREINAFTER DESCRIBED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the *Municipal Act*, S.O. 2001, and the Municipal Procedures, that the Township Council of The Corporation of The Municipality of Highlands East proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, WILBERFORCE, Ontario on **Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 2010**, at 9:00 a.m., a By-Law to close, stop-up and convey to the adjacent land owners the following described lands:

Part of the original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 29, Concession 13, Township of Glamorgan, Municipality of Highlands East, County of Haliburton shown as Part 1 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Steven C. Ruttan, O.L.S., dated November 3, 2009.

The Preliminary Plan of Survey as referred to above is available for inspection during regular office hours (9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday) at the Municipality of Highlands East office, Wilberforce, Ontario.

The above described lands, by resolution, have been declared to be surplus.

AND TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that before passing the said By-Law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Municipality of Highlands East shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his, her or their lands will be prejudicially affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard in person. The person who wishes to address Council should contact the Township office for delegation time.

 ${f DATED}$ at the Municipality of Highlands East, Wilberforce, Ontario this 11th day of May, 2010.

IRENE S. COOK. CMO CLERK/CEMC

County Road 648, box 295 WILBERFORCE, ON K0L 3C0

NOTICE

(Applicant - OSINGA)

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HIGHLANDS EAST TO CLOSE, STOP-UP AND CONVEY CERTAIN PORTIONS OF AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD ALONG THE SHORE OF GLAMOR LAKE, MORE PARTICULARLY HEREIN-AFTER DESCRIBED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, and the Municipal Procedures, that the Township Council of The Corporation of the Municipality of Highlands East proposes to consider and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Council Chambers, WILBERFORCE, Ontario on **Tuesday, the 8th day of June, 2010**, at 9:00 a.m., a By-Law to close, stop-up and convey to the adjacent land owners the following described lands:

Part of the Original Shore Road allowance in front of Lot 33, Concession 12, Township of Glamorgan, Municipality of Highlands East, County of Haliburton, shown as Part 4i on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Greg Bishop, O.L.S., dated March 8, 2010.

The Preliminary Plan of Survey as referred to above is available for inspection during regular office hours (9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday) at the Municipality of Highlands East office, Wilberforce, Ontario.

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DATED at the Municipality of Highlands East, Wilberforce, Ontario this 11th day of May, 2010.

IRENE S. COOK CMO CLERK/CEMC County Road 648, Box 295 WILBERFORCE, ON KOL 3C0



Students thrilled to participate in annual event



Certified archery coach Bruce Schneller instructs HHSS student Julian Barry on the finer points of archery Friday afternoon in the HHSS gym. Barry is one of 18 members of Derek Little's outdoor education program class. /Submitted photo

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and giving these kids alternative ways to bide their time," he said.

Little says a healthy respect for fire-

arms is a good thing. He said firearms are a part of our Canadian heritage. "Without trapping and hunting, maybe Canada wouldn't be what it is today,"

Notices

NOTICE (Applicant - Bourgeois)

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF HIGHLANDS EAST TO CLOSE, STOP-UP AND CONVEY CERTAIN PORTIONS OF AN ORIGINAL ALLOWANCE FOR ROAD ALONG THE SHORE OF TROOPER LAKE, MORE PARTICULARLY HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED.

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Part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 29, Concession 3, Township of Glamorgan, Municipality of Highlands East, County of Haliburton, shown as Part 1 on a Preliminary Plan of Survey made by Steven C. Ruttan, O.L.S., dated February 5, 2010.

The preliminary Plan of Survey as referred to above is available for inspection during regular office hours (9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday) at the Municipality of Highlands East office, Wilberforce, Ontario.

The above described lands, by resolution, have been declared to be surplus.

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DATED at the Municipality of Highlands East, Wilberforce, Ontario this 11th day of May 2010.

IRENE S. COOK, CMO CLERK/CEMC

County Road 648, Box 295 WILBERFORCE, ON K0L 3C0 he said. "I don't think there's anything wrong with giving the kids this opportunity. It's good for them to get out and try something and make an educated decision."

A trip to the HCMC range is something that Little and his students eagerly anticipate. "It's something we look forward to doing and continuing to do every year that we run this program," he said.

The experience at the HCMC range Thursday was followed Friday with archery instruction by the Schneller family – Bruce, Rita and Rachael from North York. The students were taught the basics of safety and proper form before taking their turns with both compound and

recurve bows. Bruce Schneller brought more than 40 years of archery experience to the high school. He has trained at the United States Olympic Centres in Colorado and California, as well as the New England School of Archery. He trains instructors and Little was one of several people who signed up for an instructor's course at the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association's facility on Haliburton County Road 1 Saturday.

Like the day before, the students gained some valuable training, which will allow them to make an educated decision regarding archery and whether or not they want to pursue archery as a sport or as a method of hunting.



Municipality of Dysart et al 135 Maple Avenue

135 Maple Avenue P.O. Box 389, Haliburton, ON K0M 1S0

Telephone: (705) 457-1740 Fax: (705) 457-1964 Email: info@dysartetal.ca Website: www.dysartetal.ca

NOTICE OF COMPLETE APPLICATION AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING PROPOSED ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT

DATE: Monday June 7th, 2010

TIME: 5:00 pm

LOCATION: Council Chambers in the Municipal Office, 135 Maple Ave., Haliburton, Ontario.

APPLICATIONS:

1. Lands of Beachli:

- Purpose and Effect: the proposed by-law will zone the subject lands to redefine the extent of the EP zone, establish a minimum building opening elevation and to permit construction of a single family dwelling.
- Zone change from EP to R1-3L. The EP zone is retained below the existing fill line.
- Location: Part of Lot 18, Concession 8, Lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 8, Plan 1, Township of Dysart (un-named road off Pine Ave.).
- Deeming By-law 2010-49 will apply.
- 2. Lands of 882025 Ontario Inc.:
- Purpose and Effect: the proposed by-law will zone the subject lands to permit restricted commercial
 use including: a business office, a merchandise service shop, a retail store and self-service storage
 buildings.
- Zone change from RU1 to CH-xx.
- Location: Part of Lot 8, Concession 2, Township of Dysart (Koshlong Lake Road).
- A site plan agreement will regulate development of the lot.

IF A PERSON OR PUBLIC BODY does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Municipality of Dysart et al before the proposed zoning by-law is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision of the Municipality of Dysart et al to the Ontario Municipal Board.

IF A PERSON OR PUBLIC BODY does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Municipality of Dysart et al before the proposed zoning by-law is passed, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Municipal Board unless, in the opinion of the Board, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

FURTHER INFORMATION: including the draft by-law is available from the Planning Department at the Municipality Office during regular office hours (8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday) or by phoning 705-457-1740.

DATED at the Township of Dysart, this 11th day of May, 2010.

Patricia Martin, B.E.S., MCIP, RPP Municipal Planner

TOWN HALL

The Highlands has opportunity to determine its own tourism destiny

and general upbeat buzz about the tourism town hall meeting scheduled for Wednesday, May 12 from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the Haliburton Legion.

The first question asked by everyone is: "As a retailer, an artist, realtor or restaurant owner why should I attend the tourism town hall?" The quick answer is that if you, your business, your village, township or county relies on the visitor or tourist dollar to survive, live and pay bills through the long winter months you should



Municipality of Dysart et al

PO Box 389 Haliburton, ON K0M 1S0 Telephone: (705) 457-1740 Fax: (705) 457-1964 Email: info@dysartetal.ca Website: www.dysartetal.ca

MUNICIPALITY OF DYSART ET AL **LANDFILL SITES - MAINTENANCE TENDERS**

The Municipality of Dysart et al is inviting tenders for the placement, compaction, cover and maintenance services of five (5) specific landfill sites within the Municipality.

Tenders must be received on or before 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 26th, 2010.

Specifications and blank authorization and execution forms for this tender can be obtained at the Dysart Municipal Office, or on our website at www.dysartetal.ca

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

NOTICE OF SALE OF SURPLUS ITEMS

The Municipality of Dysart et al is offering the following items for sale to the highest bidder. All items are as is where is and will not be released until payment is received and ownership has been transferred, if applicable.

The following items may be viewed at the Roads Garage, 13323 Hwy #118, Haliburton between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday to Friday.

- 1 2000 Ford E450 Super Duty 7.3 Diesel 16 Passenger Bus including space for four wheelchairs. Hydraulic lift located at rear of bus. 303,293 km
- 1 Steel Water Tank approximately 11 feet x 6 feet.
- 1 1984 Ford Van. 24,684 km

A Bidders Form can be obtained at the Dysart Municipal Office, or on our website at www. dysartetal.ca. All bids must be submitted in the requested form and are due at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 26th, 2010.

Highest or any bid not necessarily accepted.

There has been lots of recent conversation, questions be attending this tourism town hall meeting. If you are among those who feel there appear to be fewer visitors to the Haliburton Highlands villages or that your phone is ringing less then you also should attend.

It is no secret that tourism and tourist dollars are needed to help the Haliburton Highlands prosper. Everyone from the people, businesses and politicians of this community needs to be involved in the conversation about how we can attract more tourism dollars. A purpose of this meeting is to put the movers and the shakers of this community together in one room to figure out what is needed to strengthen our Haliburton Highlands brand.

Who is running the meeting? The tourism town hall has evolved from the momentum of the executive of Haliburton Tourism (a group of area resort, B&B and lodge owners). Haliburton Tourism is hosting the meeting, the Haliburton County Development Corporation is providing financial support and facilitation.

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FOR SALE TIMBERFRAME STRUCTURE <u>AT</u> <u>SIR SANDFORD FLEMING COLLEGE</u> HALIBURTON CAMPUS HALIBURTON, ONTARIO

The Timberframe Structure is to be sold on an "AS IS - WHERE IS" basis and has a reserve bid of \$5000. Offer forms and specification details are available at the Purchasing Department, Room 423 Sutherland Campus, Brealey Building, 599 Brealey Drive, Peterborough, Ontario and the Haliburton Campus, 297 College Dr., Haliburton, Ontario.

Bids to be submitted by Monday May 17, 2010 no later than 4:00:00 p.m. to:

Sir Sandford Fleming College Purchasing Department, Room 423 599 Brealey Drive PETERBOROUGH, ON K9J 7B1 Attn: Cindy English

REF# HAL10-06

Bids will not be accepted after this date or at any other location.

Viewing Contact: Location:

Shelley Schell (705) 457-1680 x 6730 Haliburton Campus, 297 College Drive,

Haliburton, Ontario

For further information, please contact Cindy English, Ext 1608 or Shelley Schell, (705)457-1680 Ext. 6730.

THE HIGHEST BID OR ANY BID SUBMITTED WILL NOT **NECESSARILY BE ACCEPTED.**

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The County of Haliburton economic development and tourism department, the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce and the Arts Council ~ Haliburton Highlands are all supporting the meeting. Now we are asking you for your support.

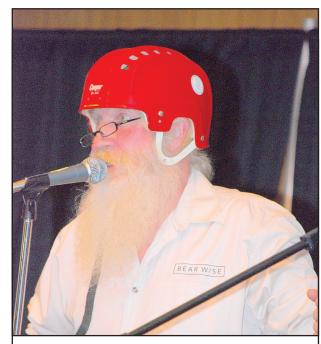
In recent months the Ontario Ministry of Tourism's regional designation of the Haliburton Highlands connected us to the region 11, an eastern part of the province from the Ottawa River to Haliburton County. This is an opportunity for us to put our heads together as a community so that the Haliburton Highlands can become more than the western edge of Region 11.

Our goal should be ensure that the Haliburton Highlands has a strong brand and identity. We need to continue to remind folks that we are only a 2.5 hour drive north of Toronto and just South of Algonquin

At the town hall we will have a chance to hear about the province's new regional approach, the plans for the county for the upcoming year, take stock of our current economic climate, take a look at our Haliburton Highlands brand and look at ways that we as individuals, businesses, villages, townships and out County can strenthen our brand and attract more tourists.

Is your business or organization affected by the number or tourists we attract to the Haliburton Highlands? Have you put this tourism town hall meeting on you busy work week schedule?

If you have any questions about whether you should attend or want to know more about how you can contribute to this meeting please do not hesitate to call or email Sally Moore, co-president of Haliburton Tourism 705-286-4922 or info@sunnyrock.on.ca.



Check out our website and photo gallery www.haliburtonecho.ca



Saturday's magic number was 50

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wilberforce

Hilda Clark 448-2018

For sure it was party time in Wilberforce on Saturday, May 8. And 50 was the magic number for some special people. Even a few snowflakes with the showers outdoors couldn't dampened the celebrations.

At the Lloyd Watson Centre Ruby (Madill) and Harold Alden celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Family and friends were there with them at a lovely open house, sharing memories and bringing best wishes. Family includes Jim (Ann), Michael (Gail), Robert (Brenda) seven grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

A fine display of photos revealed many special times that Harold and Ruby have experienced together since May 7, 1960 when they were married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. McIntyre in Norland at the home of Harold's sister and brother-in-law, Elva and Joe Pearce. Elva was the matron of honour. Joe was Harold's best man. Little Patsy Madill, niece of the bride, was the flower girl.

Along with flowers, gifts and cards were special certificates of best wishes from Governor General Michaëlle Jean, Prime Minister Stephen Harper, Ontario's Lieutenant Governor David Onley, Premier Dalton McGuinty, the County of Haliburton and the Municipality of Highlands East. Anniversary cake and other delicious refeshments

May we add our very best wishes for good health and happiness to this couple who have lived, raised their

family, worked and played in Wilberforce for most if not all of their 50 years together.

Meanwhile at the Wilberforce Legion another special couple, Jim and Mina (Winterburn) Saunders were also celebrating 50 years of marriage. They too were wed on May 7, 1960 in Norland, hometown of the bride. There at the Baptist church Rev. McIntyre performed the ceremony. Gary Agnew was Jim's best man, Gary Eason was the usher. Mina was attended by maid of honour Shirley Greer and bridesmaid Lorna Hall. A reception was held at Jack's Pavilion, then a well-known hall on the north shore of Dark Lake in Wilberforce.

Their 50th anniversary brought together many friends of Jim and Mina and of course family members that included son Randy (Leisa), son Roger (Lorraine) and daughter Shelley (Doug) Powell. Here too refreshments included anniversary cake and other

goodies served by the ladies auxiliary. A lovely party with plenty of good wishes were received by this couple who retired back to Jim's hometown after his many years of employment at General Motors in Oshawa. Many they enjoy many more happy years together.

Hang on! Another 50! Phillip Agnew celebrated his 50th birthday on Saturday, May 8. This friendly, well known Wilberforce man was feted by his family with a fine dinner at the recreation room at Maple View where he along with his cat Harry has made his home for about a year. Later in the evening friends dropped by with more best wishes and lots of hugs. Cameras clicked continuously to record this special occasion.

Once those very special candles were out everyone enjoyed a piece of Phillip's cake.

Phillip is the son of the late Eileen (Taylor) and Murray Agnew and brother of the late Fred. Sisters Winn, Cathy and Mary and so many family members who love Phillip dearly were there to make this a very special day for him. If the word had gotten out earlier about this party they would have had to hold it in the arena. And wouldn't that have pleased Phil, one of the biggest hockey fans in the area. From everyone in Wilberforce and area, happy birthday Phil.

Pat Simiana called to let us know that the annual roast beef dinner is being served on Saturday, May 22, at the Lloyd Watson Centre from 5 to 7 p.m. This fundraiser by and for the Wilberforce and area volunteer police association is always a great meal with adults dining for only \$11, children 12 and under eat for \$5.

Games night at the Outpost Museum is this Wednesday beginning at 7 p.m. Enjoy Scrabble, Uno, dominoes, Clue, checkers, crokinole and any other board game folks bring

Tim Hortons. 4 on 4 ball hockey tournament plus goalies Register a team of 5-9 players with a team manager over the age of 18 3 divisions: Ages 8-9; ages 10-13; ages 13-15

Proceeds go to benefit Youth Unlimited and The Bridge Youth Centre. Register your team online with your team manager

Rules are on the website: www.youthunlimitedkaw.com

Saturday, June 5th Date: Time: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Where: Todd's Independent

5121 Cty Rd 21, Haliburton



Coming Events

30TH ANNIVERSAL

Glass Eagle Studios is celebrating 30 years in glass this year Attend the Open House/Sale May 22 & 23 from 10-5 pm. Enjoy a piece of Cake & Honey Treats while viewing

Tom's newest works.

Pop A Balloon With Every Glass **Purchase For A 10-30% SAVINGS**

Located on the corner of

Cty. Rd 21 & Blairhampton Rd. call **705-286-3628** for details

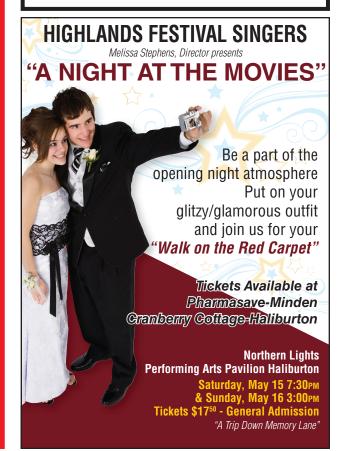
Join Us & Sell Your Goods at:

The Lochlin Community Centre YARD & TRUNK

Sat., May 15th

8am - 2pm

BBQ, hosted by the Lochlin Committee. A \$10 donation would be appreciated.



To advertise your upcoming event, call Angela at 457-1037

Coming Events



NOTICE OF ANNUAL workforce GENERAL MEETING

The **Workforce Development Board**

Will be holding their Annual General Meeting on Thursday, June 17, 2010 Peterborough Golf and Country Club 1030 Armour Road, Peterborough 3:00 pm

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HALIBURTON MOVIE NIGHTS

Thursday, May 13/10: DE PERE EN FLIC (Fathers & Guns) - PG13

Tuesday, May 18/10:

THE YOUNG VICTORIA - PG

Thursday, June 3/10:

AN EDUCATION - PG13

2 Shows - 4:15 and 7:15 Northern Light Pavilion, Haliburton High School All Tickets \$8.00 at the door

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community



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- May 12: Identity Theft Is the topic of a workshop to be given by Cindy Trapp. Financial Consultant from Investors Group Financial Services, Inc. At 7:00 pm at the Dysart Library in Haliburton. Sponsored by the Friends of the Haliburton County Public Library. Everyone welcome.
- May 13: Separating Spouses Free Seminar Are you dealing with a separation or divorce? Learn about the benefits of mediation, reducing conflict and working together to reach agreements. Learn about legal issues and family court process. Call for locations and to register 705-760-9603 or 888-605-1393.
- May 14: Friends of the Haliburton County Public Library Lunch and Learn Standing on Top of the World. Come and hear Amin Shivji relate his experience climbing Mr. Kilimanjaro at Bonnie View Inn at 12 noon. Tickets are \$20.00. Contact Klara at 286-4419 or email friends@haliburtonlibrary.ca by May 6. Everyone welcome.
- May 14: Infant Massage at Minden OEYC from 10 11 am Bring your infant and enjoy some Mommy and Me time. Discuss the importance of caring touch and learn proper Infant Massage techniques. To register please phone Minden OEYC at 286-1770.
- May 15: Craft Sale at the West Guilford Recreation Centre from 9 am 2 pm Any interested vendors call 754-2530.
- May 15: Theatre Workshop Space available in weekend Theatre Workshops taught by Canadore College's Award-Winning Rod Carley. May 15, 16, May 29, 30, June 5, 6, 2010. \$25 each, \$125 for all. Contact fay.martin@fayandassociates.com 286-3668.
- May 15: Yard & Trunk Sale at the Lochlin Community Centre Join us and sell your goods from 8 am – 2 pm. BBQ is hosted by the Lochlin Committee, a \$10 donation

would be appreciated.

- May 16: Annual General Meeting of Sheddon Area Historical Society (Coboconk & Surrounding Area) - At the Lion's Hall in Coboconk at 2 pm. Free admission and free refreshments! Everyone welcome - new members wanted. Guest speaker Dorothy Duncan, who will speak on Canadians at Table, Food Fellowship & Folklore. Dorothy is an author and international lecturer on Canada's culinary history. Contact information - Barb Curry 705-454-1878.
- May 18: Kids Have Stress Too at Minden OEYC from 5-7 pm For parents with children 3-6 years. There are many reasons why our children may experience stress. Learn effective ways to help you child deal with stress. Please register at 286-4625.
- May 20: Welcome to Kindergarten! Join us from 6-7:30 pm at Stuart Baker **Elementary School** – Introduction to kindergarten program for new Junior/Senior aged children entering school in September 2010. To register for the evening please call Susan at SBES – 457-1342 as soon as possible.

Events listings are provided **FREE for non-profit groups on a space-available basis**. While we endeavour to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be faxed to The Echo at 457-3275, emailed to editor@haliburtonecho.ca., or faxed to The Minden Times at 286-4768, emailed to editor@mindentimes.ca. or brought in to the office.

Please submit events by the Thursday prior to the requested publication date.

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End of June

Minimum Wage



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Volunteers A960

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May 15 & 16th

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who entered the world on April 28, 2010 at Mt. Sinai Hospital, weighing in at 4 pounds 12 ounces.



She's small but she's mighty.

Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary!



Paul & Karin Nolan May 7, 1960 Love from your family!



To everyone who was there to help us through the rough spots of Claude's heart attack and surgery. Your prayers, cards, emails and phone calls lent your support when we needed it most.

A special thank you to Dr. Armstrong and Dr. Heyes; the nurses at Haliburton Hospital; air ambulance crew; the many doctors and nurses at Southlake Hospital in Newmarket; Ashley and Regan for the use of their home as a haven to recharge; our families for the many things they did for us and their guidance through the surgery and recovery; Courtney for her help on the "down days"; Rob, Lou-Anne, Darin and Lucy for always being there.

We are very fortunate to live in such a caring community with wonderful family and friends. (Tom we still have a garden to plant.)

> Thank you to everyone. Claude & Gail



Joseph Bryson is thrilled to announce the arrival of his baby brother Riley John William Kenning on April 12, 2010 at Orillia Soldiers Memorial Hospital weighing 8lbs 3 oz

Proud parents are Jean-Anne Middleton and Mike Kenning of Coldwater, Grandparents John and Joan Middleton of Kennisis Lake, Jean Kenning of Innisfil, William Kenning of Victoria Harbour.

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CALVER, Douglas Robert Henry - Born in Chelmsford, Essex, England. Veteran of the RAF. Retired Pilot with the Ontario Provincial Air Service. Passed peacefully at Haliburton Hospital on Thursday May 6, 2010. In his 86th year. Beloved husband of the late Dorothy (nee Legge-Hounsell) for 58 years. Dear father of David, Richard and Diane. Loving grandfather of Kristin, Shalome, Jared, Melissa, Bryan, Amber, Kandice, Teal and great grandfather of Seth, Eleanor, Rory, Liam, Ethan, Alaina and Owen. Friends are invited to join the family for a Memorial Service at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness, 1017 Wigamog Rd., Haliburton on Saturday, May 15, 2010 at 2:00 pm. Memorial Donations to the Watch Tower in support of their Worldwide Work would be appreciated by the family and can arranged through the GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME Ltd., P.O. Box 427, Ontario K 0 M Minden. www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com

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MINTZ, Priscilla - Passed away peacefully at her home in Gooderham on Thursday, May 6, 2010 with her daughter by her side. In her 90th year. Beloved wife of the late Clifford Joseph Mintz. Dear mother of Donna and Doug (deceased), Dorothy, Gary (deceased) and Joan, Blair and Jackie. Loving grandma of many grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. Dear sister of Alfred (Irene), predeceased by her brothers Clarence, Sandy, and Arthur. Lovingly remembered by her family and friends. Friends are invited to visit the family at the Gooderham Pentecostal Church on Thursday, May 13, 2010 from 5:00 until 8:00 pm and on Friday, May 14, 2010 from 12:00 o'clock noon until the time of the Funeral Service at the church at 1:00 pm. Interment at the Glamorgan Cemetery. Reception to follow back at the church downstairs. Memorial Donations to the Yonge St. Mission, or to the Teen Challenge Farm c/o the Gooderham Pentecostal Church would be appreciated by the family and can be arranged through the GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME LTD., P.O. Box 427, Minden, Ontario K0M 2K0.

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TRUMBULL, Edna (nee Cowan) -Passed away peacefully at Hyland Crest Senior Citizens Home, Minden on Thursday May 6, 2010. In her 97th year. Beloved wife of the late Morgan. Dear mother of Bernard Trumbull and his wife Betty (deceased) of Minden, Glenn (deceased) and his wife Esteletta of Vancouver, Margaret and her husband Walter Sawyer of Lindsay, Dale (deceased) and his wife Mary of Minden. Survived by her grandchildren, great grandchildren, great grandchildren and predeceased by granddaughters Joan Trumbull and Kathy Trumbull and by great granddaughter Breanna Barras. A Private Family Service was held at the GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME, 127 Bobcaygeon Rd., Minden on Saturday, May 8, 2010. Interment at the Minden Memorial Donations to the Hyland Crest Residents Council or the Charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family. www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com

> Time takes away the edge of grief But memory turns back every leaf.

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TAYLOR, **ALEXANDER** CLIVE

Peacefully at St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto, ON on March 18, 2010 in his 68th year. Clive, dear father of Patrick (Anne-Marie) Colin and Stuart (Heather) Cherished Grandfather of Jared, Keith, Colt, Alex and Ivy. Dear brother of Mary, predeceased by his brother Bill.

Please join us for a celebration of Clive's life at the Gooderham Community Centre on *May 15th from 1-3.*





On April 28, 2010, Chico Mailman was laid to rest in Glamorgan Cemetery.

The cross, which bears the maple leaves we all placed during the memorial in Wilberforce: was placed on his grave.

He will be missed!

- His Nova Scotia family.









Eric Kuiper

(Resident of Haliburton Lake, Ontario - Kia Ora)

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Eric Kuiper on Wednesday, May 5, 2010 at the age of 58. Former spouse and loving friend of Rita Kuiper. Cherished son of Trudy and the late Arie Kuiper. Survived by his beloved daughter

Stacey (Andrew Sgorlon). Opa to grandson Owen. Dearest younger brother to Toni (Dolf) Helmer and Bob (Julie) Kuiper. Eric will be sadly missed by his many friends and relatives including his fellow cottagers on Hailburton Lake. Also remembered by Linda, Kelly, and D.J. Kay and by his buddies Jake and Hillis.

Visitation & Funeral Service

Friends are invited to call at the HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME 13523 Hwy #118, Hailburton, Ontario (705) 457-9209 on Saturday morning, May 8, 2010 from 10 o'clock until time of Funeral Service at 11 o'clock in the Chapel. If desired, donations can be made to the Heart & Stroke Foundation of Ontario would be appreciated by the family.

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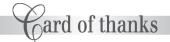
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Family of the late Lyle Reynolds, would like to thank all our family, friends and neighbours for all the support through this difficult time in our life. We would like to give special thanks for the great care that was given to Lyle (Dad) from the nurses at RMH Palliative Care Unit. Also many thanks to Mackey Funeral Home, Rev. Anne Hepburn for the many visits to both hospitals and for the lovely service at the Dunsford United Church. Thanks to Perry & Kelley for the lunch provided after the service, done by Dianne's Country Kitchen. Special thanks to all that provided our family with many meals and beverages during our stay with Lyle (Dad). We would love to give a great deal of our appreciation to special friends who stayed a few nights with Lyle (Dad) and our family during our difficult nights, Mervyn, Rhonda, Barb, and Adam. Thanks to everyone for the visits during Lyle (Dad's) stay, cards, flowers, email condolences, donations and for just being there for all of us. Your care and concern was very much appreciated by all.

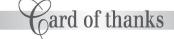
Arvada, Perry, Kelley, Michelle, Kevin, Debbie, Donnie and their families Also Lyle (Dad's) sister Lois Barry and her

husband Mervin. Thanks so much!

The family of the late
KEITH SCHRADER of Lochlin would like to take this opportunity to thank the good neighbours and friends who so kindly assisted during his illness and burial. Also, we would like to thank the nurses and doctors at Haliburton Hospital for the excellent care they provided. Our sincere thanks also to the Monk Funeral Home for their caring and efficient staff as well as to the Minden Legion for their tribute to Keith. The Schrader Family

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The family of the late Ralph Allison would like to express their thanks to all of our friends and family who made do-nations and phone calls, who sent cards and brought food to the house in our time of sadness. Special thanks also to Dr. Bottum, Cathy, Dr. Ferracuti, Dr. Stevens, all of the nurses at the Haliburton Hospital, the staff of Shoppers Drug Mart, Home Care, the drivers from the Cancer Society and Merrill and Merrie Barry. Thank you one and

The Allison Family



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The family of the late Brian Bacon want to thank all our family and friends for all their love, prayers and support during this difficult time.

We appreciate all the cards, calls, food, visits, flowers and donations to charities.

Thanks to Jim Cardinell for his help and to Mark Schell who was so kind and stayed with me until my family arrived.

To Kirsten, Barry and staff of the Gordon Monk Funeral Home who always go above and beyond the call of duty.

> May God Bless you all. Russell, Marie, Jessica, Michael, Elaine and Families



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Recent changes in Ontario's tax structure will add an eight percent tax to funeral arrangements effective July 1st, 2010. The good news is you can avoid this increase if arrangements are prepaid before the effective date.

Prearrangement can offer peace of mind to you, and can spare your family from all of the hard decisions that need to be made at an

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Real Estate





STORMY LAKE

bdrm quality built timberframe cottage/home. Private lot, mature trees, 160 ft ftge. West exposure Maple firs, cherry staircase, lg picture windows, full finished bsmt, 2 storey Bunkie. **\$729,000**



LAKE KASHAGAWIGAMOG

Architecturally designed waterfront home or cottage. Boast loads of character, 148 ft of sand shoreline, southern exposure and extreme privacy. 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, cathedral ceilings, wood floors, stone fireplace PLUS - 2 bdrm Bunkie with 3 pce bath, dble wet slip boathouse and change house at waters edge. \$699,000



OUTLET BAY OF DRAG LAKE

Absolutely stunning. 2 storey cottage on 2.73 acres, 705 ft of frtg. Gorgeous level lot, Clean sand shoreline south exposure. Extreme privacy. Open concept living area. Large picture windows. Large master bdrm with woodstove, walkout to side deck. Hot tub built into larg side deck.Dbl heated garage w/carport. \$639,000



KOSHLONG LAKE

Looking for privacy?. Level lot, west exp on picturesque lake. Quiet Bay, peace & tranquility. Very spacious 4BR, 3 bath Viceroy. Cathedral ceilings, livingrm with fp and 24' flr to ceiling windows. Modern kitchen, main flr office, all glass dining room, Brazilian maple floors Multi level decking & att double garage. Close to Haliburton. \$629,900



LONG LAKE

Absolutely beautiful Algonopin style point lot. You must see the Lot, nicely treed in pine, natural and low maintenance. Privacy assured On 1 acre lot. Western exposure. Clean sand and rock shelf swimmable shoreline. Open concept, cathedral ceiling 38R cottage or home, brick for to ceiling with skylights. Only 15 minutes to Häliburton village. This property is a unique and rare find these days. \$559,000



HALLS LAKE

Custom 2 storey waterfront home on a level lot with 160 ft of fantastic sand shoreline. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, pine kitchen, double sided stone fireplace, large living area, cathedral ceilings. Double garage with loft.

\$539,000



MINNICOCK LAKE

Very private 'Linwood' cottage 299' frtg & 12 ac, Quality built, 38R, 2 bath. Bright open concept. Lg picture windows, cedar cathedral ceilings & walls create warm woody mbiance. Bamboo fils, pine kitchen, MBR/ensuilt & main fir Indry. Scr porch & decking is ideal for entertaining. Drilled well, septic, 200 amp hydro & FAP heat. Situated on a natural creage parcel, providing privacy, peace and tranquility. Dive off 10x16 cedar dock into 9 ft. deep water! Motor restrictions apply on lake. \$535,000



LITTLE GLAMOR LAKE

Immaculate 3BR waterfront cottage/home. Level, nicely treed atural lot. Private with 216' frtg. Sand shoreline, ideal for little ones. S/W exposure for all day sun. Large dock & sitting deck at beach. Open concept living area. Large recroom, office/BR & storage/utility on the lower. Royal Home quality. Beautiful private property sure to please! \$449,500.



DRAG LAKE





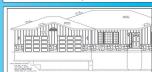
GREEN LAKE

One of a kind property on 3 lake chain. Spectacular point lot, western exposure, great swimming on sand beach. Pretty creek with footbridge adds to landscaping beauty of this property. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths plus a 2 piece. Hot tub room. All wheelchair accessible. Attached garage.



MONROCK LAKE

This one is a stunner! Bright, neat & clean 3BR year round cottage or home. Spacious kitchen w/island, living area w/woodstove, pine walls, reno'd 4pc bath. ull w/o basement has Recroom, laundry/utility & storage. Massive new wraparoun deck. Single detached garage. Lovely level lot with s/w exposure on small tranqui lake. If the big busy boating lakes Don't appeal to you this is the one to see! \$319,900



SANDFORD COURT, CUSTOM HOME

Custom Build. 'Simcoe' model is 1682sf w/ full basement. Quality construction materials. Finish to suit the buver, 3BR, 2 bath, MBR w/ ensuite, ORA boutique nook, main flr Indry, and fover, 40 oz carpet, Cultured stone & Maebec siding, Dbl att Garage, drilled well/septic. 2.68 ac lot on a dead end road. Enjoy the privacy only minutes to town. Tarion Warranty. \$329,900



INCOME OPPORTUNITY

Low maintenance, turn key income producing property. 39 units mostly filled year round. 2 X 6 construction, steel cladding and roof. Movable wall panels, 200 amp service. Asking price includes an additional lot behind offering great potential for expansion. \$325,000.



INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY

4 unit apartment building located between Haliburton and Minden 3 units are 1 bedroom, 4th unit is a 2 storey with 3 bedrooms. All units are self contained with many upgrades. Excellent books, units are easily rented. The grounds are immaculate with beautiful gardens, paved driveway and easy access of highway.



GOODERHAM LAKE

Private island property. 3BR cottage on Algonquin style lot. Excellent fishing, beautiful sunsets. Short boat ride from the mainland. Clean rock and sand shoreline. Open concept living area In traditional cottage style with stone fireplace centerpiece. Septic and hydro.

\$299,000



Year round home/cottage. Gorgeous sand beach and level lot with 4BR Water's edge cottage. Nicely treed providing privacy. Full w/o basement gives Potential for Recroom. Spacious open concept living area. Large wraparound deck for entertaining. Super location, to walk to West Guilford village, plus close to ski hills and golf course. Excellent fishing On 3 lake chain. Includes separate backlot \$299,000



MOUNTAIN STREET

Totally renovated split entry home on lovely 3.38 lot. New contemporary kitchen with island. Nice, bright, open concept, walk out to back deck. New carpet & ceramic floor. Fresh paint 2-4 pc baths. Large recoom Detached garage with carport Beautiful 'turn key' home \$269,000



2 COTTAGE DEAL!

Cardiff Lake. Looking for a family compound or rental property? Selling 2 cottages together. Open concept living room, dining screened porch. On the waters edge. 200 feet of beautiful sand shoreline. Each cottage has its own firepit & deck at the water.
Year Round Road. \$259,000



PARISH LINE

Definite country charm in this 3 bedrm home close to Haliburton Village. Spacious rooms, woody ambiance LR w/stone fp & insert. All weather front porch, single car garage with carport and shed. \$249,900



GREAT LOCATION!

Stone and brick home. Ideal location for a contractor or home business. Large driveway and parking area, heated dible att'd garage with workshop, plus additional single att'd garage. Several storage buildings. 2 plus 1 bedroom, 5 baths, 2 offices, woodstove, fireplace, FAO heat. Cozy home! \$199,900.







GREAT FAMILY HOME

Spacious 2 storey situated on a bright, sunny lot. 3 large br on the 2nd floor, Master br with walkin closet & ensuite. Maple floors or main. Ceramic tile entry. Large living room & main floor family room, Main floor laundry, Walk out to a huge deck, Extra living space in full fin basement, recroom, bedroom and 3 pce bath & utility room Central air & vac, alarm system, & more! \$229,000







HOME ON 25 ACRES Ursa Road. Room to play on nicely treed 25 acre parcel. Bright 1+2 BR with pine ceilings thru' main floor. Functional kitchen large livingrm with w/o to deck. Full fin bsmt incl recroom & laundry/utility. FAF heat, airtight woodstove, 200 amp hydro. drilled well, septic. Neat & clean, ready to move in.

\$144,900



PARADISE LAKE

Cozy & warm log cottage. Southern exposure, easy access off the main road. 2 bedrooms, 3 pc bath, full basement, large wrap around deck. \$159,000



HALIBURTON HOME

room home situated in a prime ocation for a home based business close to town. 2.5 acres, nice view, mature trees. Huge garage and shed. Most windows new, septic, drilled well & newer FA propane furnace. \$139,900.



WENONA LAKE ROAD Home or Cottage, 2 bedrm bungalow situated on

a level lot & close to access to lake. Large eatin kitchen with oak cupboards, large livingroom with brick fireplace. Main floor laundry. \$129,900



GELERT ROAD

clean. Laminate floor throughout. Village. Good starter home. \$119,900



GOODERHAM GENERAL STORE

Commercial building with living quarters. Ideal location to run your own business. Large store front with good size commercial space at the back along with an office space. Second floor has generous size 3 bdrm apartment. Selling land and building. \$84,900



road and minutes to town. \$69,900.



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QUESTION: How does one make money in real estate?

ANSWER: Buy low and sell high. One way to do this is to increase the property's market value. A real estate wealth creator is one who improves property so that the marketplace will pay more for the increased value of those improvements than it costs to make them. "Improvements" mean not only new construction but also renovation of existing structures or creating new uses for underutilize buildings or underused land.

REAL ESTATE UPDATE

The person who spends \$10,000 enlarging his home may be adding \$20,000 to its value if there is a local demand for larger homes.



YOU MAKE MONEY in real estate by increasing its value by making wise improvements